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Lessons Learned: Clearinghouse and Translator Remediation

*Are we ready for a
discussion of lessons
learned?*



Considerations

- ▶ **Translator vs. Clearinghouse**
 - ◆ Ownership
 - ◆ Proprietary Transactions
- ▶ **Procurement Plans/Cost**
 - ◆ Leveraging Solutions
- ▶ **Scalability**
- ▶ **Portability**
- ▶ **Development Expertise in:**
 - ◆ Medicaid Healthcare Transactions
 - ◆ HIPAA
 - ◆ Transaction Standards
 - ◆ Provider Technology and Capability



Lessons *Being* Learned

- ▶ **Providers' Readiness/Technology**
 - ◆ Contingency Planning
 - ◆ Re-evaluation of Solution Assumptions
- ▶ **Industry Collaboration**
- ▶ **Medicaid Participation in Advisory Capacity**
 - ◆ CMS/PS-TAG Partnering
 - ◆ WEDI, WEDI/SNIP, AFEHCT, X12



Not-too-late Next Steps

- ▶ **Validate Solution, Provider/Vendor Automation**
- ▶ **Develop Contingency Plans**
- ▶ **Increase Provider/Vendor Outreach Activity**
- ▶ **Share Anecdotal Information**

**Don't pick-up the pace... pick-up
the phone!**



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